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Dear Mrs Manley.

At our meeting on March 12th. Pompey asked me to come to Polo Grounds for Thurs June 13th. It would be their opening night game. You know every one wants an opening date. So I told him I would have to contact you and the Park people in Washington to see if the change could be made. I wrote the Senators for the change but have not received an answer. I would give you Wed June 12th instead of 13th. I hope this will be agreeable if I can get the Okeh on the change from Washington. Since we have been here I have received several offers for exhibition games which I cannot accept due to our limited stay here. I was in Sanford yesterday and talked to Chas Gibson

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at 422 - E 5th st Sanford Fla. He wants to book a game the worst kind of a way. He is the same man that booked Grays & Eagles in Sanford. Also Mr Greer keeps write me for games. I sent you address of Promoter in Thomasville Geo. I was told yesterday by Jackie Robinson that your big pitcher and Capinella were going to Springfield Ill club of the III League. Jackie is very close to Branch Rickey Jr. He told me this was confidential. You might investigate. Mexico authorities are after all my good players. Leonard 7000.00 - Bankhead 6000.00 Hoskin - I sure wish we could do something about it. Maybe if some of them would accept some of their money and hold it and let them try to collect it they would not be so anxious to send the players that big money. Mail will reach me at Page Hotel - 1038 Dryades st New Orleans.

Y.V.T.

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